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## MANY FROM HERE

### Attended Dedication at Durham

### OF NEW STATE COLLEGE GYMNASIUM

### A Most Brilliant Event Held on Friday Evening

### PORTSMOUTH STUDENTS LEADERS IN THE EXERCISES

Durham, Jan. 27.—With impressive

ceremonies the new gymnasium building and drill hall of the New Hampshire College of Agriculture and Mechanics Arts, just completed, was dedicated here last night. Following the formal exercises at which Warren Brown of Hampton Falls, a trustee of the college and chairman of the building committee, turned over the keys to the state's chief executive, Gov. John McLane, a military ball was given the guests by the cadet battalion. This was a function which eclipsed anything ever held at Durham and which was attended by distinguished guests from all over the state.

The drill hall, which cost \$25,500, the amount being appropriated by the state, was completed the first of the year. It was accepted by the building committee of the board of trustees, consisting of John G. Tallant of Pembroke, Warren Brown of Hampton Falls and William D. Gibbs, president of the college, on Jan. 6, without any attending ceremony.

The dedicatory exercises proper consisted of a brief address in behalf of the members of the building committee and the trustees of the college by Warren Brown of Hampton Falls, following which the keys were turned over to Gov. McLane. This ceremony was a feature as the keys were massive ones, two feet in length and weighing about thirty pounds each. They were forged and nickel plated in the college shops by the students under the direction of Instructor John Brown.

Sergeant Harold T. Walker of Kittery was a member of the general committee, who was also in charge of the decorations.

The committee on electrical effects was Lieut. Frank W. Randall of this city.

Corporal Paul Goodloe of this city was in charge of the Cozy Corner.

Among those attending were Miss Annie O'Connor, Portsmouth; Miss Fannie Jenness, Rye Beach; Miss Lillian Walker, Kittery Point; Miss Alice Dixon, Eliot; Mrs. Fred W. Hobbs, Kittery; Miss Florence Andrews, Miss Veda Whittier, Frank Milan and W. W. Bennett, of Portsmouth.

### SOME STATE'S EVIDENCE

### Against Grenier, Accused of Abetting Local Man's Escape

Elmore Grenier and his sister, Rosalie Grenier, who have been held in Strafford county jail since last Monday awaiting a preliminary hearing in police court on the charges of aiding John Rogers to escape from jail and concealing him after his escape, were both brought over from jail Friday morning for preliminary hearing in police court. George Smart identified Miss Grenier as the young lady who called at his place of business at the corner of Chapel and Main streets one day last week and wanted to borrow a steel saw. Mrs. Olive Tatro informed the officers that she and Miss Grenier were at the jail one week ago Wednesday in the forenoon, and that after they came back from the jail that Miss Grenier went up town and when she came back she had a small slim package about eight or ten inches long in her

hand and that after that Miss Grenier went over to the jail.

Felix Gardiner, a young lad, said that he was on the Landing on Saturday afternoon on the day that the prisoners escaped from the jail and he saw John Rogers enter a house there bareheaded and without any coat.

John Croken, another witness for the state, says that he saw Rogers when he came out of the cellar and that he had on a coat and hat at that time.

Other witnesses were in court who would have testified that Grenier took Rogers to the boarding house to get board for him. It looks as if Marshal McKone, Assistant Marshal Wilkinson and Officer Young had gathered evidence enough against the respondents for a strong case against them, but the defense is yet to be heard from.

### KITTERY LETTER

### Newsy Items From Our Regular Correspondent

Kittery, Jan. 27.

Last evening at Traipe Academy Hall a very pleasant social was enjoyed by the pupils and teachers of the school.

Early in the evening the company was divided into five groups called, respectively, the alphabet class, the arithmetic class, the literature class, the physiology class and the geography class. Then those in each group had to use their wits in answering the conundrums given them.

One feature of the evening was the Ghost March, when eight sheeted figures came upon the stage and sang "John Brown's Body Lies a-Moulderin' in the Grave", one ghost disappearing at the end of each stanza.

The refreshments of the evening were popcorn, apples and homemade candy.

Miss Mildred Donnell presided at the piano while the boys and girls sang college-songs, with a "spirit which would start the world along."

The services at the Second Methodist Church tomorrow will be in the usual order: Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "What We Get for What We Give"; Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Epworth League at six p. m. At this time installation of the officers for the year will be in order. Praise service at seven, followed by a brief sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Cripple at the King's Table".

The services at the Second Christian Church will be in the usual order. The pastor, Rev. E. H. Macy, will deliver a written sermon. Subject: "Priceless Selection". Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at six p. m. Subject for the evening service: "Walking on the Sea."

### AT THE NAVY YARD

One first class right hand ricerter was called today (Saturday) in the construction and repair department.

Clerk Doolittle of the construction and repair office force furnished a pleasing instrumental program for his office associates and several Kittery people while trying out the new piano a few days ago at Traipe Academy.

The steam engineering department has been notified of the ent in the allowance and will probably soon cause a discharge and loss of time by the men of the department.

F. T. Wood of the tug Sioux was discharged today (Saturday) on the expiration of his enlistment.

The first work of planking the frame of the new ferry boat began today.

### NOTICE

Boston Globe Readers:—Please save your unpledged votes for me. I need them. Votes will reach me through any High School pupil.

GEORGE T. RANN,  
New Broad Street.

### ARE REPAIRING LAUNDRY

The Boston and Maine railroad carpenters' crew is repairing the laundry of the depot restaurant.

## BISHOP O'CONNELL

### Appointed Coadjutor-Archbishop Of Boston

old. Since his elevation to the bishopric of Maine, Bishop O'Connell has been more prominently mentioned as a candidate for the coadjutorship than any other American and reports that he actually had been appointed have frequently been circulated.

### A NEW JERSEY UPSTART

### Claims an Honor Properly Belonging to Col. Leslie Norman

Rome, Jan. 27.—The Pope yesterday signed the papers appointing the Right Rev. W. H. O'Connell, bishop of Portland, Me., who recently visited Japan on a special mission with the ranks of assistant to the pontifical throne, to be coadjutor archbishop of Boston, Mass.

Although Cardinal Gotti, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, is dangerous ill with pneumonia, the congregation met unexpectedly Thursday and discussed the appointment of Bishop O'Connell, with the result that the cardinals voted almost unanimously for him.

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Who is this New Jersey upstart?

Col. Leslie Norman of this city is the only original raiser of green carnations, and he differs from all others in having the carnations to prove it.

There is a well defined rumor that next summer Leslie will be asked to

have a bed of green carnations growing in the shadow of the Fitz John Porter statue and fertilized entirely with the dead bodies of the brown-tail moths killed under the new order of the city council.

Only one application for a sidewalk

has been received by the new city

council this year, and that has been

killed.

## BY A LOCAL FREIGHT

### Unknown Man Killed Friday Evening at Wells Branch

Freight No. 256, westbound from Portland to Boston, due in this city about ten o'clock a. m., is thought to have killed a man who was found dead at Wells Branch early on Friday evening.

When the train arrived at Conway Junction, the engineer discovered blood on the head of his locomotive, and reported the same to the superintendent's office.

The eastbound freight No. 247, leaving this city at six p. m., was instructed to look for the man.

They found the man dead at the place where he was reported to have been struck.

His identity is not yet known, but he is thought to have been a tramp.

### PORPSMOUTH MAN TO FIGHT MOTHS

Cornelius Dowd will pass the rest of the winter in Massachusetts, where he is engaged by the state commission in wiping out the brown-tail moths. Con is an expert at this branch of work and has lately made a record at it in Ipswich and Rowley.

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ARE STILL VERY EVIDENT HERE.

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SALES -- UNMISTAKABLE BARGAINS  
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50 Dozen Pressed Glass Table Tumblers,  
usually you pay 25c and 30c per dozen,  
in our annex, at per dozen.....15c

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Throw the old leaky ones away, buy  
new ones—Quart size of us, regular  
price on them is 30c, in our annex at....10c

Wire Broilers, very indispensable and labor  
saving—These in heavy wire, sure  
good wear, sold in vast numbers at 25c,  
in our annex.....15c

Grey Enamelled Rice Boilers (Double) first  
quality—Two sizes in this Special Sale.....  
One Quart...42c | Three Pints...55c

Gas Mantles—The regular Mantle with side  
wire support.....  
9c each or 3 for 25c.

The Cap Mantle, light producing, only ....15c  
Sold everywhere at 20c.

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Fluted Font and Shade of Green, very fine  
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full height, Font and Shade of Hand Painted  
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Splendid Parlor Lamp, Gilt Font and  
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Other Special Lots of Towels

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Higher Grades, Especially in Demand for  
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More of those Heavy Ginghams that we  
shall sell at per yard.....5c

The Balance of One Lot of Percales, usual  
price 12½c, our price.....10c

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY OF THIS WEEK.

# CITY HALL.

## Doings of The New City Council

### REVIEWED AND COMMENTED UPON

#### What Has Been Done And What Is Now Transpiring

#### MAYOR MARVIN ALREADY BUSY ON APPROPRIATION BILL

The march of progress as echoed in the corridors of our City Hall has been of much interest up to the present time, and concerns just now in the question of the appropriation bill, on which, for the most part, the tax rate for the current year will depend. That it will not be wholly dependent on this is due to the fact that the valuation of the city changes every year, but as the change is always an increase this would tend to reduce rather than to increase the tax rate, so that even a lower rate next April would not be wholly or necessarily due to a curtailment of expenses.

In his inaugural remarks on Thursday, Jan. 4, Mayor Marvin pointed out that the tax rate is none of the city council's business, the work of that body being to decide just what is necessary and just what is not necessary, and then to act in accordance with the dictates of economy. While this is a strictly logical view, it is one which would work well in practice only when there is need of economy. Some towns and cities, of course, are in a better financial condition than our own.

In the past few days Mayor Marvin has been quietly looking over the field himself. He has been trying to find out what each department will need during the coming year, remembering, it is to be presumed, that there is a difference between what a department needs and what it can get along with.

It has been the custom in the past for the committee chairmen to present the figures for the annual appropriation bill. The finance committee would then cut them down or present them to the common council, in which body all appropriation bills had to originate. There would then be a long period of fighting with all sorts of ploys brought to bear to keep in certain items or to take out or materially reduce others. The councilmen would fight the aldermen, and the aldermen would reciprocate with a vengeance.

This latter is all over, but it is probable that the committee chairmen will be allowed to present their estimates to the finance committee for their several departments when they are appointed. Why they are not yet appointed was explained by May or Marvin on Thursday evening, when he said he had intended to appoint them then, but thought it better to wait until the committee selected to draw up new rules had reported, as it was likely (!!!) that the appointment of committees would then be provided for more definitely than it is in our new city charter, under which the mayor could, if he saw fit, delay appointing his committees for the year until the coming thirty-first of December.

The business of importance transacted in the four sessions of the present city council has not been above normal, if we except the election of the principal appointive city officials at the meeting of Thursday, Jan. 11, —a transaction which took up only one hour's time.

At the same session, a resolution was introduced by Councilman Boynton calling for the appointment of a special committee to straighten out the accounts between the city and a former city treasurer. This committee was ordered to report at the next meeting but, as stated in this paper Thursday, was not appointed until the day of the next meeting. It had then too little time to transact its business, and asked for further time. There were reasons for expecting that it would report last Thursday evening, but nothing was said regarding it. The public is still conjecturing whether it will be heard from at the next meeting, and one of the councilmen is said to have told a questioner that it is none of the public's business.

Councilman Cullen at the same meeting called attention to the need of drafting a new set of rules, the

old rules for the government of the former bodies having been in force ever since the Centennial Exposition and having nearly attained the point of obsolescence. They have too many features which require change to adapt them to the mayor-and-council form of government which has replaced the mayor-and-board-of-aldermen-and-common-council form.

Councilman Cullen has a library of parliamentary books ranging from Major Fitch's "At A Glance" down to the manual of one Cushing, and with none of the intermediates neglected. He has, besides, a good head for the business, and may be expected to give us a model set of rules of which the city council of 1896 may well be proud.

Councilman Cullen and his rules, it may judge from the tenor of the mayor's remarks at the meeting on Thursday evening, will be on hand at next week's session.

If so, the rules will come up for adoption at that time, and Mayor Marvin can go ahead and appoint his committees.

At Thursday evening's meeting, owing to the non-existence of the committees, the business which came up had to be either laid on the table, as was the case with a sidewalk petition, or referred to a special committee. In the case of the petition of the New England Telegraph and Telephone Company for the location of new poles, the mayor became de facto the committee on streets.

That this extra work is pleasing to the mayor whose official salary is not the regal sum of five hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly whenever the money is available, is not to be imagined.

In speaking of the matter of the South End and North Church clocks on Thursday evening, the mayor remarked with relief, when the council put the business in the reluctant hands of Councilman Cullen, "I didn't know but this would be one more addition to the multifarious duties of the mayor!"

The investigation of the "city clock department" is in response to the requests of residents. There is really nothing to investigate, beyond the fact that the clocks need repairing, unless the city wants to be behind time or, as another alternative, to go along on an unhappy intermediate between Greenwich, England, and Cambridge, Mass.

There is really no official caretaker of municipal timepieces, but the clocks are in charge of the committee on city lands and buildings, which committee is now in a state of non-existence. Perhaps it will be as well to appoint a permanent committee on clocks, in which case Councilman Cullen, as the champion of the "East End" interests, would be the most eligible candidate.

The last matter of importance to be brought up was the Councilman Seymour measure against the brown-tail moths, who last year interfered so seriously with everything except the harbor shipping. The only thing they didn't damage was the asphalt, and they were regarded with suspicion when that was found to be cracked in places.

Councilman Seymour gave the moths due notice a week ago Thursday evening, but with no perceptible effect. So now the brown-tail moth destroyers have their chance to get busy. The bids for the destruction of all brown-tails along the city high ways are to be advertised for by May or Marvin. They are to be presented before 11:30 a. m., Wednesday, Jan. 31, and then and there publicly opened in the presence of the bidders aforesaid, the city reserving the right to reject any or all bids. The advertisement appears in another column.

The method of bidding is not yet specified. It may be that someone will bid for the work in a lump. Others may offer to do it at so much an hour. Still others may try to get the work at so much a dozen nests. The last method would probably be the most profitable for the contractor as the nests in Rye, Greenland, Newington, New Castle and Kittery are said to very much resemble those in our own city.

Another innovation by the new city government is the changing of the meeting hour to 7:30 p. m. This worked so well Thursday evening that the motion to adjourn was being entertained as the clock struck eight bells, the usual time of commencing the meeting.

This change enables the city fathers to get through their business and take in the show, if they want to. Space is too short here to enumerate the famous dramatic stars whom previous city fathers have missed seeing, all because they didn't think to make the meeting hour 7:30 instead of eight p. m.



Cure hoarseness and sore throat caused by cold or use of the voice. Absolutely harmless.

# IS NOT GUILTY

## Verdict In Favor Of Collier's Weekly

### RENDERED IN FAMOUS LIBEL SUIT

#### The Jury Remained Out Less Than Ten Minutes

#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY JEROME SEVERELY SCORES TOWN TOPICS

New York, Jan. 26.—The jury in the Town Topics case returned a verdict that Editor Hagood is not guilty of criminal libel.

The jury was out ten minutes. Hagood was charged with criminal libel of Justice Deuel.

The complaint in the case was based on an editorial in Collier's in August, last, bearing on Justice Deuel's connection with Town Topics.

New York, Jan. 26.—"I will not attempt to disguise from you the utter loathing and contempt I feel for some of the witnesses whom I myself have introduced," declared District Attorney Jerome to the jury today in his argument for the prosecution in the action for criminal libel brought against Norman Hagood, editor of Justice M. Deuel of the court of special sessions.

"For more than two weeks now we have been wandering through Valley fair," said Mr. Jerome, "witnessing exhibitions of human weakness and folly and in some instances of human degradation."

The case was expected to go to the jury today after Mr. Jerome's argument and the charge of the judge.

Continuing Mr. Jerome said: "It may be that I ought not to be here prosecuting one of my best friends I've got for a crime which in my private judgment I believe he ought to have done; and which I might have done in his place with more heat and more vim than he displayed." The law not to restrict the liberty of the press has provided that if the published article be true and published with justifiable ends it is a defense. On the ground of excuse the prosecution concedes that this publication was honestly made in a belief that it was true. If you find that the article was true, you have got to accept it.

"Now let us see the character of this paper (referring to Town Topics). Mr. Shepard has told you that Colonel Manu has stated that it was the natural volition of personal journalism. If that is true it ought to be applicable to more than one daily paper as master for two years which accompanied the presentation. Mr. Brackett carried into his work for the Pomeroy intelligence and faithfulness, a combination of qualities most desirable in all departments of public or private life.

The Mission study class has very interesting sessions every other Tuesday at Dr. Robbie's. Mrs. John L. Sawyer will conduct the next meeting.

The local Grange was represented at the Pomeroy by a good number among whom were Miss Bessie Carr, Miss Anna L. Berry, who was chosen lecturer, Mrs. W. H. Brackett, Mrs. Sarah A. Bill, William R. Weeks and Charles F. Marden.

Mrs. John Parks, of Stratham, was a visitor last week with Mrs. Melvin Huntress.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Church will pack a barrel on Wednesday evening January 31, at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Mann. The barrel will be sent to the Hull Street Medical Mission of Boston. All those having supplies to put in the barrel are requested to bring them early and all are most cordially invited to the social which will follow. The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of this church will meet with Miss N. Gertrude Chapman on Thursday afternoon, February 1, at 2:30 o'clock.

On Sunday morning Rev. Dr. Robbie gave his hearers an instructive sermon relating principally to the religion of Benjamin Franklin. It was inspiring to listen to the truths elicited from the religious side of this many-sided man the statesman, philosopher, scholar, public benefactor, practical inventor, workman and famous for wisdom about common things, of whom it was not known until his life's story was fully told how truly great he was of whom it was said he was an honor to human nature. Inspiring to know that above all he was a man of prayer, saying of himself "I have lived a long time, and the longer I live the more convincing proofs I see of this truth, that God governs in the affairs of men. And if a sparrow can not fall to the ground without his notice, is it probable that an empire can rise without his aid?"

Judge Thomas F. Wentworth, of New York City, passed the most of last week at his summer home, Bay Side, the guest of his brother, E. P. Wentworth.

J. Winslow Peirce, of Boston, was the guest over the Sabbath of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Peirce. Ice is being stored by Melvin Hunt-

# MELLIN'S For the Baby FOOD

Have you ever used Mellin's Food? If not, drop us a line asking about it. We will answer any and all questions and be only too glad to show you how to use Mellin's Food in a way to get the best results. We will send you a sample of Mellin's Food for your baby just as soon as we get your letter and will give you the benefit of our experience.

The ONLY Infants' Food receiving the GRAND PRIZE at St. Louis, 1904. Gold Medal, Highest Award, Portland, Ore. 1905.

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W. A. Odell, Israel Wilbur and a few others. It has been clear and of good thickness. We hear that none has been cut as yet at Stratham. A farmer said the other day that some of the best ice he had ever had was gathered in February. Usually the work is over here by the first of that month.

The Athletic association successfully presented its Minstrel Show at Rye last Thursday evening before an audience that filled the large town hall to repletion. It was given under the auspices of "The Ideal Club" of that town. The association has under consideration an offer to appear in Newington and probably will go there on Wednesday evening of next week.

In connection with the mildness of the weather it is said that the lilac trees are budding, which is an error, for they have that appearance all through the coldest winters. A letter from Newton Centre, Mass., written on Sunday stated that people were sitting out of doors on the piazzas in a summer like manner; weather records of past years may be searched in vain to find a parallel in present winter conditions.

Supt. R. J. Sisk, of the Greenland, Alton, Farmington districts, will give an address on "Greenland Schools" at the Methodist Church next Sunday evening. Special music will be rendered. All are cordially invited to be present.

Charles H. Brackett, the popular retiring Master of East Rockingham Pomona, and now its Overseer, was happily surprised by the presentation of a sash and Past Master's jewel on Wednesday of last week at the Pomona session at Epping. The girls were very beautiful and highly appreciated by the recipient not only for their intrinsic worth but more for the spirit that prompted the giving and especially for the very commendatory words in relation to his work as master for two years which accompanied the presentation. Mr. Brackett carried into his work for the Pomona intelligence and faithfulness, a combination of qualities most desirable in all departments of public or private life.

The marsh makes a fine skating place for the young people.

Mrs. Baechelder, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out of doors.

The many friends of Mrs. Stephen Tarleton regret to learn that her condition does not improve. She is still critically ill.

Austin Lamprey is still confined to his room.

#### SECOND ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW AT EXETER

The second annual show of the Exeter Poultry Association will be given in the town hall on Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. The entry list has been so large that it has become necessary to select another judge, and C. A. Blue of Worcester, Mass., has been chosen. A pretty feature this year will be the large number of chickens that will be hatched during the show from incubators. A party from this city will attend.

#### HELD FIRST REHEARSAL LAST EVENING

The Local Dramatic Company had its first rehearsal on Friday evening of the drama "Uncle Ruhe," which is to be presented the coming month at Freeman's Hall.

#### DANCE LAST EVENING

A dance was held in Peirce Hall

An intricate problem is now up for solving by the board of health,--or rather, has been solved so far as the board is concerned.

#### DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

##### District of New Hampshire

1. The trustee of L. S. T. Cotton, Esq., Bankrupt, 1 N. S. 1129.

Re the Creditors of L. S. T. Cotton, Esq., Bankrupt, in the County of Rockingham and District of New Hampshire.

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of Jan., 1906, the said L. S. T. Cotton was duly adjudged a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the Grand Opera House, Portsmouth, on said date, at 11 o'clock. In the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, appoint a trustee and liquidate his business, as may properly come before said court. The question of granting the trustee, then to be chosen, leave to sell the property and estate of said bankrupt at public auction or private sale, will then be considered, and if no objection is made, such leave will be granted.

Frederick E. Shantz, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Ernest L. Gould, Atty.

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 25, 1906.

#### THE THEATRICAL FOLK

##### A Strong Company and Fine Plays.

The well known Colonial Stock Company will open its engagement at Music Hall on Monday evening, presenting one of its best plays. The term Colonial Stock Company has always been synonymous with "the best" and this season it has not deviated from this rule. Such well known plays as "The Celebrated Case", "The Bell", "In Virginia", "The Octoroon" and others will be presented with all necessary scenery and effects. Otto Lloyd the young and talented leading man, heads the company and he is ably supported by a large and competent company of artists, all of whom have become adepts in their chosen profession. A strong list of vaudeville acts has been secured, these consisting of Vonder and Bellmore, Cook and Hall, the wonderful musical team, and many others. All will appear at every performance.

##### A Hit in Portland

The Portland Sunday Telegram thus praises "The Matchmaker" in which Daniel Sully will appear at Music Hall next Thursday evening:

Daniel Sully, in his new play, "The Matchmaker", an American comedy in three acts by Jerrold Shepard, was the attraction at the Jefferson Theatre Saturday afternoon and evening, and both performances were witnessed by enthusiastic and good sized audiences. Mr. Sully, who is an old favorite in Portland, having won distinction and many friends in this city in "The Parish Priest", several seasons ago, is, of course the chief attraction in the play and his new vehicle gives him ample opportunity of displaying his remarkable comedy talents. Nevertheless the supporting company is eminently capable of appearing with this eminent actor and all keep the fun in motion throughout the play. While the comedy itself is out of the ordinary, the company with Mr. Sully is well capable of rendering it entirely interesting.

##### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. E. W. GROVE'S

##### NORTH HAMPTON

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# A Reasonable Statement for Reasoning People

Read it and Judge for Yourself

The general history of copper mining shows that it is safe, permanent and profitable, in some cases enormously so, of which there is always a chance. Many cases have occurred where a small investment at the start has, at the proper time, given a large return.

Like all kinds of business it has successes and failures, but the successes outnumber the failures and most of the latter might, with proper management, have been avoided. All kinds of business are carried on to make money, or at least with the expectation of profit, and if it proves unprofitable it is abandoned sooner or later.

Has there been any abandonment of copper mining as a whole? On the contrary, the production of copper increases by leaps and bounds. New sources of supply are diligently being sought and producing mines are valued at fabulous prices. Would this be the case if the business did not pay? The question answers itself.

Though the production of copper has reached enormous figures, the business is not overdone. The demand increases faster than the supply and there is practically no surplus. Indeed many of the mines are taking large orders for future delivery and the production is sold for months ahead. Consequently it is thought that the present high level of prices will continue for a long time.

There has never been a better time to start a new mine with the latest improved machinery and processes.

The Regal Consolidated Copper Company has been organized for the purpose of developing and making productive, twenty-five mineral claims located in the extreme Eastern part of Riverside County, Southern California, very near Arizona and on the same mineral belt which contains the great producing copper mines of that Territory.

Four groups of claims have been consolidated into one property making five hundred acres of fine copper land. All these claims contain very rich, high grade copper ore, carrying gold and silver in substantial amounts and varying proportions. Some of the gold is coarse and visible, which is exceedingly rare in copper ore. Some of the ore is rich enough in silver to be called silver ore. It is thought by experienced mining men that the gold and silver in this ore will pay all the expenses and leave the copper for nothing. If this turns out to be true, the profits can be imagined. The ore is self fluxing, a very important point and there are vast amounts of splendid fuel right at hand.

The California and Arizona Railroad, known as the Santa Fe cut off, is now being constructed through this district and the blue prints of the survey show that it will pass within ten miles. A branch railroad to be constructed will go right by the mines. The main line will be finished the coming summer.

It is intended to make this a dividend paying proposition, pure and simple. The money derived from stock will absolutely be put into the property, enhancing its value with every dollar expended and an earnest effort will be made to get full value for the money spent. The best advice will be procured from successful men, and honest, conservative and progressive management can be depended upon.

The President and prime mover of the Company has visited the property and made a close personal inspection of all the conditions. He is firmly convinced that the enterprise will pay well and his opinion is backed up by numerous experts and mining men, all of whom without exception advised the purchase and development of this property. The accumulation of favorable opinion was simply overwhelming and precluded any hesitation in taking hold of the project. The reasons for selling were entirely satisfactory and the price and terms reasonable.

Lack of transportation is the only thing that has kept it in the background and this defect is now being remedied.

In support of our belief that the proposition is sound we invite your attention to the following epitomized opinions of others.

Dr. Stephen Bowers, former State Mine Examiner and Field Geologist of California:

"I find that you have large deposits of ore on your claims, containing a large percentage of copper, silver and gold. They are practically inexhaustible and are not likely to be worked out in the lifetime of any now living. The veins show evidences of being true fissure veins, in which case they must extend to great depth. The ore will be found very easy to reduce, being self fluxing. Some of the ore shows an assay value of four hundred ounces of silver to the ton. There is a vast amount of ironwood near these claims, sufficient to run reduction works for many years. I think you have very valuable mineral deposits which will pay you to work."

Lewis E. Aubrey, State Mineralogist of California. Expert on Copper:

"I know this property and consider it the finest prospect on the Pacific Coast, without exception. You are taking no chances whatever. Buy it and stay with it, if you mortgage your shirt."

W. H. Aubrey, Mining Expert and Supt.:

"I visited this property and found the conditions almost identical with those of our largest and best paying copper mines. The mineral belt is two hundred to six hundred feet wide and can be traced a distance of two and one-half to three miles across the mountain. I found coarse gold occurring on the rich, red oxides, a thing very unique and unusual. I am confident that there are immense bodies of rich ore underlying this property and I would not hesitate to put all the money I had into it, and develop it."

Prof. J. H. Parker, Mining Engineer and Expert:

"I have examined this property and do not hesitate to say that it is very fine indeed. I am confident that here will sometime be located one of the great copper mines of the world. There is practically no limit to the possibilities. The claims show very rich copper ore, impregnated with free gold and silver. The formations are of the best character and everything indicates the presence of large bodies of ore, about the value of which there can be no question. It is apparent to the most casual observer. I strongly recommend the development of this proposition."

Theodore P. Lamb, Mining Expert:

"I visited the various claims and was deeply impressed by the strong vein systems occurring there. I would not only recommend, but urge the prosecution of development work on these claims. The formations are all right and everything indicates a splendid property."

N. D. Burlingham, E. M.:

"I traced the ledge for a distance of three thousand feet or more. The vein has the appearance of a true fissure. These mines will prove very valuable by development. Indications are that pockets of free gold may at any time be encountered."

Dr. Mueller, Expert Examiner:

"It is good enough to eat. Do not hesitate for a moment to secure the property. I would like to have an interest in it."

Judge Owens, Expert Examiner:

"I am going in a few days to examine a property in Arizona. I only hope to find such ore as that."

Mr. Eddy, an old smelter of large experience said:

"The ore is very rich indeed and cannot help paying. I used to earn enough to buy a new furnace and add to the plant every forty days, with ore not as good as that, and when copper was not worth what it is now. I think you could do it in thirty days. The ore is self fluxing and will run like water. Begin small and grow and you will come out all right."

W. A. Mensch, President of the Enterprise Copper mine at Kingman, Arizona, said:

"I wish I had such ore as that to show to my stockholders."

The average assay of ore from ten claims, made by R. A. Perez, Los Angeles, was over one hundred dollars per ton. No average of the entire twenty-five claims has been made, but it will be done as soon as practicable. It is not anticipated that it will be less and may be more. The above ought to be sufficient to convince anyone that we have a fine foundation for business."

In conclusion we can only say that we do not wish to give the impression that this is a going or producing mine. It is simply a prospect as all mines are at first. Mines do not occur ready made. They must be developed from prospects, just as every man must be a child at first. There is no other way. Until such time as machinery can be put to work and sufficient money earned to pay dividends, the investment is speculative and stock should be sold correspondingly low. The greatest profit usually comes between the prospect and the mine and many fortunes have been made by buying into a good proposition at the start and having the benefit of the advance which keeps pace with the development. If you wait until the value is fully established the price of the stock is so high that there is not much chance for profit. It becomes more like bonds, safe but not profitable.

To sum up: We have five hundred acres of exceptionally fine prospects; we have high grade copper ore carrying gold and silver; we have abundance of splendid fuel; we have an all the year round climate; we shall have excellent transportation; the money derived from stock will go into the property and the President will devote his entire time to making this proposition pay its stockholders; if it cannot be made to pay there is no use in copper mining.

The company has been organized under the laws of the State of California, which aim to protect investors and discourage wild-catting. The par value of the stock is ten dollars per share and there are three hundred thousand shares, of which three-fifths are treasury stock. Frank J. Philbrick of Portsmouth, N. H., is President and Goodwin E. Philbrick of Portsmouth is Secretary and Treasurer. The other Directors at present are Los Angeles friends who will retire when good Eastern men will fill their places. Walter Rose, an Attorney of high standing in Los Angeles, is acting as Attorney for the Company and under his direction all legal forms have been compiled with. We are now ready to issue stock and invite subscriptions. An office has been opened at 807 Monks Building, 35 Congress St., Boston, Mass., to which the President will give his attention for the present and until further notice, and the Treasurer may be found at Philbrick's Pharmacy in Portsmouth.

This is a good opportunity, if you can only perceive it. Buy a few shares, lock it up and forget it. It may surprise you some day.

I wish to add a few remarks on my own personal account, addressed to my friends and acquaintances, generally.

I have been very careful in investigating this proposition and am thoroughly convinced that it will pay well. If I had not thought so I would have had nothing to do with it. The business is honorable in itself and can be conducted in an honorable manner, and it will be as long as I am connected with it. My experience has given me confidence to undertake this work with a reasonable expectation of success. I am not so foolish as not to admit the possibility of failure for that is always present, but to my mind the probability of success is greater than that of failure and therefore I am going to make the attempt, earnestly and faithfully.

FRANK J. PHILBRICK.

## PORSCHE SKIPPER

Gets Considerable Mention in February  
McClure's Magazine

stronging in and received, as all visitors do at this hospitable home, the most cordial of greetings. All were made welcome and entertained delightfully, after the few moments in which Mr. and Mrs. Greenough were rallying from the effects of the complete surprise, and regaining their normal condition. Games and whist were played and later refreshments of cake and cocoa served, after which a handsome lamp was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Greenough by the guests, a gift expressive of their good will and much appreciated by the recipients. The hours flew in the midst of social enjoyment until the time of departure, all feeling conscious as they sought their own homes that something of real pleasure had come into their lives.

## A WONDERFUL SUCCESS

Dr. True and Co., Manufacturers of That Great Family Medicine—True's Elixir—Pass Another Milestone in Their Successful Business Career.

The year just past has been a most prosperous one in the long career of the firm of Dr. J. F. True and Co., of Auburn, Maine, their business showing an increase of 16 per cent. over that of the previous year. Founded in 1851, this company has steadily increased its business, covering a wider territory each year, until at the present time Dr. True's Elixir is known all over the country.

This wonderful showing strongly attests to the merit of Dr. True's Elixir. It is not only the universally recognized specific for the treatment of worms in childhood and adults, but it is likewise a remedy for all kinds of liver, stomach and bowel complaints. At the company's offices there are thousands of testimonials to prove the efficacy of this remedy in cases like the above, but perhaps a still greater proof is found in its enormous sale.

Dr. True's Elixir is for sale by all dealers, price 35 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Dr. True's book, "Children and Their Diseases", should be in the hands of every mother, and a copy will be sent free upon application.

## BROWN-TAIL MOTHS

The City of Portsmouth, N. H. invites proposals for the removal and destruction of all brown-tail moth and gypsy moth nests on trees in the highways and on property of the City, work to be completed before April 1st next, reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

The proposals will be opened at the Mayor's office Saturday, February 3, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, in the presence of the bidders, and referred to the City Council for action.

Bids should be enclosed in an envelope endorsed "Proposals for removing moth nests, to be opened February 3rd, 1906, at 11 a. m." and addressed to

WILLIAM E. MARVIN, d  
William E. Marvin, Mayor,  
Portsmouth, N. H.

The city council wants to see what the cost will be before it attempts to eradicate the brown-tail.

## THE "LAND GRAB" FRAUD

Methods Employed to Defraud the U. S. Government

HARD ON REAL SETTLERS

Many Unscrupulous Persons Lay Claim to Large Tracts and Erect Temporary Huts or Cabins—Under Law a Minor Becomes Head of the Family by Adopting a Child.

The ingenuity and audacity of the men who have been and still are engaged in defrauding the United States out of public lands are equalled only by the absolute consciousness of this class of swindlers. Every possible device is resorted to by the men who have sought to acquire illegal title to the public domain, says the New York Times.

An instance of this character which recently came to light was found in Idaho. A single contractor had erected, on the order of a land company, thirty-four cabins on as many homestead entries—"one hundred and sixty" about a quarter of an acre had been actually tilled and planted to potatoes. The entries were made in the name of thirty-four individuals, the work done by the contractor was performed the following summer, and when the legal fourteen months had expired the alleged settlers appeared before a United States commissioner, each made affidavit that he had lived on and cultivated his claim for fourteen months, paid down the nominal price of \$1.25 an acre prescribed by law, where the commutation clause of the Homestead act is availed of, and "final proof" having thus been made title was granted, subject to final ratification by the Land Office in Washington.

It was just here that something aroused the suspicion of the special agent charged with passing on the claims, and he began an investigation, which revealed the fact that no one of the claimants had ever resided on the land, that the cabins and the cultivation had all been performed by a single contractor, acting under orders from a large land company, and that each of the fictitious settlers was under contract to sell his homestead as soon as the title was perfected to the land company for a nominal sum. Had the scheme worked in this instance, as it doubtless has in numerous others, the land company would have acquired a tract of 5,440 acres at a cost of a little less than \$9,000, and this tract would have been worth at the least calculation \$55,000, would probably have yielded double or triple that sum in timber, and then the denuded land would have been left in the hands of the land company, to be sold as opportunity offered for grazing purposes.

Another fertile source of fraud is the provision of the land law which entitles soldiers or soldiers' widows to deduct from the five years necessary to a free homestead entry the term of army service of such soldier. For instance, a land or cattle company desiring to secure title to a large tract will scour the country for indigent widows of old soldiers. When a sufficient company has been gathered together each will be "located" on a homestead entry. These women are generally ignorant of the character of the transaction in which they are asked to participate. They are only informed that they can secure their living and from \$50 to \$75 in cash by living for six months each year in a little cabin which will be furnished them without expense. If a soldier has served throughout the war, four years, his widow can "prove up" after one year's residence on the claim, and this "year" is apocryphal, for in practice, it is reduced to six months, generally the summer season.

The injustice resulting from the acquisition of large tracts of land by cattle and lumber companies is grave. One or two thousand acres or more fenced and devoted to grazing or lumbering operations renders the region almost untenable to the genuine settler. He is deprived of neighbors, roads, school—in a word, of all those advantages which a community would afford him, and all too often he sickens of his isolated position and finally sells his homestead to the company which has already acquired a monopoly of his surroundings. And all this is in addition to the frustration of the purpose of the government in granting land to settlers on such easy terms, the settlement of the area by small home owners. The great landed companies which already monopolize so great a portion of what were originally public lands, not only constitute an impassable barrier to the advance of civilization and the development of the country, but they have in many instances become a menace to law and order, ruling the country about them with an iron hand, constituting its courts and destroying its liberties in a most high-handed manner, so that peaceable settlers gladly embrace the first opportunity to escape from their baneful influences.

Mount McKinley, in Alaska, has never been climbed, although countless attempts have been made. The fog strains the eyes. Many of the officers of steamships running in this port are afflicted with a new disease, which for want of a better name some of them call the "fog eye." It is an inflammation caused by peering into the fog, while painful it soon passes away. Captain Higgins and the officers of the United States Fruit Company's passenger and mail steamer Admiral Sampson, which arrived at Long Wharf this morning after a good run from Jamaican ports, were among those whose eyes were affected by the fog. Running through fog and trying to distinguish objects when it is almost impossible to see a vessel's length away is a heavy strain on the eyes, and the fog, combined with the heat, produces a smarting sensation.—Boston Transcript.

## WOMAN RAILROAD BUILDER

Only Woman in the United States Engaged in This Business.

Mrs. Theodosia Beacham, the builder of railroads, fills a unique place in the field of woman's endeavor. She is said to be the only woman in America, perhaps in the world, who has engaged to a large extent in the construction of the great steel highways. She is in a class of one.

She has made railroads, blasted rocks, dug up primeval forests, cut through the foothills, filled in the valleys and reared bridges in something like half a score of States. She has directed men and mules and steam and dynamite have been forced to serve her ends. She has figured in contracts whose prices ran into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. Her intellect and financial ability have been matched against some of the country's greatest railroad magnates and she has not suffered by such encounters. She is a person of pluck and energy, of finance and diplomacy.

But Mrs. Beacham's life, strenuous though the latter half of it has been, has proved to her liking, and she has achieved some fame as well as fortune. She is probably the wealthiest woman in her native State of Michigan.

She was born fifty-two years ago in Kalamazoo, Mich. Her maiden name was Reynolds. She married, when twenty-two years old, F. L. Beacham, who is yet living, but who has been an invalid for several years. She has two sons, Claude and Erwin, whose ages are respectively twenty-eight and twenty-five years.

She has been taking railroad contracts for more than twenty years, the past few years, during which her greatest achievements have been wrought, having been passed in Southern States.

Though Mrs. Beacham declined to tell exactly what her yearly earnings are, it was learned from other railroad sources that she makes \$40,000 and upward annually. Last year she cleared about \$50,000, and this year may do better. Mrs. Beacham says her biggest contract was with the Tennessee Central Railroad in 1900. She made about \$75,000 or \$80,000 on that, and it took nearly a year to do it.

Asked if railroad work was congenital, Mrs. Beacham said she did not particularly admire the calling, but that the financial remuneration was good, and she did not expect to be contractor all the days of her life.

This woman is a judge of men and rarely has any trouble with her employees. About half of her force is carried from State to State, and the rest are hired locally. There were

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## FOR THE ARMY CANTINE

Whisky Drinking Has Increased Since Its Abolition

## DRINK SOLD TO OFFICERS

General Wade Says Under the

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### "FIGHTING JOE" WHEELER

Gen. Joseph Wheeler was one of the few remaining types of the old time American military commander. He was a unique character, a man of varied talents, of wide experience and exceptional ability. No more dashing or more gallant soldier ever wore the uniform of the United States.

The Southern Confederacy had no braver officer than Wheeler and no cavalry commander more able. He won his way by pure merit from the rank of second lieutenant in the Southern army to that of lieutenant general. His record of active service was remarkable.

Gen. Wheeler was a graduate of West Point and an officer in the United States army. When the Civil War came, like many another Southerner he felt that his duty was to his state and he entered the army of the Confederacy. Thirty-nine years after the Civil War was over he returned to the old flag and in Cuba led the soldiers of the Union against a foreign foe. He died a military officer of the republic against which he fought more than forty years ago.

The case of Gen. Wheeler is one which no other country can parallel. That a man who had been in rebellion against a government and had led armies against that government's forces should years afterward hold high military rank under the government upon which he had helped to make war is something that it is hard for any but Americans to understand.

More than this, Wheeler for years, as a member of Congress, was himself a part of the government which he once sought to overthrow.

Although while in Congress Gen. Wheeler represented the best sentiment of the South, it was when he reentered the army of the United States that his influence in healing the differences of the sections was most strongly felt. The action of Gen. Wheeler and Gen. Fitzhugh Lee probably did more to make the Southerner of the ante-bellum type remember that he was still an American than anything else that has happened since Gen. Robert E. Lee surrendered in 1865. Had it not been for the splendid service rendered by these men the Southerner's battle-honor might never have been returned.

Forty years ago, "Fighting Joe" Wheeler was a hero of the South. He died a hero of the nation.

### BIRDS' EYE VIEWS

There is a time in each man's life when Fortune knocks, they say; sometimes it is upon the door, sometimes the slanty way.

The Senate is beginning to believe that Roosevelt and Rebuke walk the capital hand in hand.

"Poultry for Profit" advertises the incubator men. The cautious buyer will ask: "For whose profit?"

A Conyers, Georgia, lemon weighs two pounds. Now for the apple that tips the scales at square weight.

At the head of the letters sent out by Success Magazine appears what is presumably intended to represent the tree of knowledge, while about its

trunk, like a protection against the brown-tail moth, is modestly entwined the legend "Orison Swett Marden, Editor."

The strong man who has opinions shows his strength by keeping them to himself when no good cause is furthered by airing them.

Some people think that a naval officer must swear in time of battle if he wants to create phrases that will live in history, yet Lawrence and Lord Nelson didn't see fit that way.

Dr. Osler has reached the decline-to-be-interviewed stage. What he really seeks to avoid is probably the misrepresentation sometimes incidental to an interview gotten by a yellow-journal representative.

On the title page of Collier's Weekly for Jan. 27 appears a drawing of two children intent on the game of draughts, done by Jessie Wilcox Smith. The work will appeal to many as ranking with this talented artist's best.

Pennypacker of Pennsylvania looks down on Benjamin Franklin—that is, he thinks he does. In our opinion a man would have to be pretty well down in the basement of the world's hall of fame for Pennypacker not to have to look up at him.

The Kennebec Journal takes up the diatribe of one Southern editor against "The Clansman," and insists that it represents the true spirit of the South. This is something like the case of the apple buyer who insisted that the barrel was filled with speckled fruit, then hunted around until he found one solitary apple in a poor condition, and condemned the whole barrel on the strength of it. It is not for us in the North to assume that the spirit of the South is represented by the paper which happens to agree with our pet opinions, or to condemn an author of unusual brilliancy because our long distance ideas do not happen to be in line with what he writes.

### MONTHLY MEETING

Of The Court Street Missionary Society Held Last Evening

The monthly meeting of the Missionary Society connected with the Court Street Christian Church took place in the vestry on Friday evening with a good attendance.

There was an interesting consideration of "The Life and Work of John L. Dyer."

### A BRIGHT OUTLOOK

For Future Work At The Gale Shoe Manufactory

Work at the shoe factory is lessening somewhat now after an unusually busy season.

The Gale manufactory has more promising times ahead, when the force will be largely increased.

### WILL GIVE A PLAY

The Junior Order of United American Mechanics, Rye, is to give a play entitled "Riding The Goat" on Friday, Feb. 2.

### TO ATTEND ART EXHIBIT

The inmates of the Children's Home have been invited to attend the art exhibit at the Y. M. C. A. today.

## HEALTH

Beecham's Pills are the "ounce of prevention" that saves many a dollar for cure. Keep disease from getting in, and it will never lay you out.

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### OUR EXCHANGES

#### "Might Have!"

I have lived my life, and I face the end—  
But that other life I might have led.  
Where lay the road, and who was its friend;  
And what was the goal, when the years were fled?

Where lay the road? Did I miss the turn?

The friend unknown? Our greetings unsaid?  
And the goal unsought Shall I never learn?

What was that life I might have led?

As the spring's last look, for one dear day

From skies autumnal on earth may bend,  
So lures me that other life—but, nay!  
I have lived my life, and I face the end.

—Edith M. Thomas in Smart Set, February number.

#### It Would Work In Maine

The Chicago News argues for higher license on the ground that it will lesson the number of saloons and so abridge the evils of the liquor traffic. Undoubtedly that is so, and the fewer the saloons, the better for society.—Portland Express.

#### We Suggest Guillotine

There is a good prospect that the patter of the shingle will soon be heard down Venezuela way. The bumptious little Castro fully deserves the spanking which La Belle France is planning to inflict.—Kennebec Journal.

#### Datto Vs. Red Men

Will the making of Bryan into a "datto" in the Philippines offset the making of Roosevelt a Red Man here at home?—Concord Monitor.

#### That He Should Have Said Second

What does Mr. Fairbanks think of the fellow Jacob Riis, who says Roosevelt ought to run for a third term?—Manchester Mirror.

#### PROBATE COURT

The following business was transacted at Tuesday's session of probate court held in Exeter.

Wills Proved—Or Edward Goodridge, Exeter; Thaddeus W. Goodridge, South Bend, Ind., executor, with Sophia M. Goodridge as his agent; Ellen M. Goodwin, Exeter; Maynard E. S. Clemons, Wakefield, Mass., administrator with will annexed, with John Templeton as his agent; Data C. Foster, Candia, John H. Foster, executor; Judith T. Currier, Hampton; Samuel Poor, executor; George W. Willey, Candia; Maria L. Willey, executrix; Horace W. Langley, Epping, in solemn form by reexamination.

Wills Filed—In estate of Daniel Y. Moulton, Hampton.

Reports Accepted—Of commissioners, estates of Washington V. B. Tilton, Deerfield; William A. Patten, Kingston.

Report Filed—By commissioner, estate of Andrew J. Cole, Newington.

Extension of Time—On commissioner's reports, estates of Trustram A. Fowler, Sabrook; Joseph M. Hamblett, Londonderry.

Commissioners Appointed—John T. Bartlett, estate of Charles A. Shepard, Raymond; Samuel H. Greene, estate of Charles V. Doe, Newmarket.

Release Filed—Of dower and homestead, estate of George P. Hoag, Stratham.

Appraisers Appointed—in estate of Elizabeth H. Gilman, Exeter, ward.

Cred to Settle—Administrator of estate of Samuel Adams, Portsmouth.

Resignation—Of administrator, estate of Harriet N. Sparhawk, Portsmouth.

Guardians Appointed—Isaac Randall over Hannah S. Dimond, Danville, by consent; John E. Cram over Cora B., Lucy M., George P. and Carrie E. Emerson, Raymond; Charles W. Barker over Grace H. P. Barker, Exeter.

Accounts Settled—in estates of Charlotte J. Peaslee, Plaistow; Merrill Eastman, Kensington; Eliza C. Bartlett, Northwood; Hannah D. Anderson, Danville; Nannie C. Steele, Chester; Catheline A. Fifield, Kingston; Samuel Joy, Newmarket; Lucy A. Shaw, Kensington.

Accounts Filed—in estates of William P. Moulton, Exeter; Asa P. Moulton, Hampton, trustee's; Mary E. Prescott, Exeter, ward; Julia P. Constantine, Exeter, ward; Eliza A. McMurphy, Derry, trustee's.

Inventories Approved—in estates of Ellen M. Goodwin, Exeter; Jesse Gile, Candia; Alvin Pabst, Auburn; Bridget O'Brien, Portsmouth; Sherman D. Smith, Londonderry; Myron S. Dudley, Newington; Apphia B. Bartlett, Raymond; Maria L. Sanborn, Brentwood; Albert Wood, Plaistow; Josiah M. Flitts, Candia; Jonathan French, Danville; Mary J. Wheeler, Raymond.

Receipts Filed—in estates of Theodore R. Mace, Kensington; William K. White, Exeter; Granville W. Knox, Kensington; George H. Gilman, Exeter; Sarah A. Griffin, Epping; Mary A. Fogg, Hampton; Thomas C. Shaw, Kensington; Nannie C. Steele, Chester; Jacob Webster, Kingston; Edward Goodridge, Exeter; Morrill Eastman, Kensington; Katherine J. Fifield, Kingston.

License Granted—to sell real property, estates of Samuel E. Brown, Exeter; Nancy M. Dow, Sea-

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Appraisers Appointed—in estate of Elizabeth H. Gilman, Exeter, ward.

Cred to Settle—Administrator of estate of Samuel Adams, Portsmouth.

Resignation—Of administrator, estate of Harriet N. Sparhawk, Portsmouth.

Guardians Appointed—Isaac Randall over Hannah S. Dimond, Danville, by consent; John E. Cram over Cora B., Lucy M., George P. and Carrie E. Emerson, Raymond; Charles W. Barker over Grace H. P. Barker, Exeter.

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## STRAWBERRY BANK GRANGE MEETING

The meeting of Strawberry Bank Grange, No. 251, Patrons of Husbandry, Thursday evening was the most interesting held this year. The following program was presented under the direction of Mrs. A. O. Benfield, the lecturer: The program opened with a piano solo by Fred T. Hartson, followed by a reading by Miss Dora Parish. Willis H. Alvin read a paper on the "Historical Buildings of Portsmouth," after which Miss Lee rendered a vocal solo. Mrs. Richard Watson read a paper on the life of Benjamin Franklin, and this was followed by extracts from Poor Richard's Almanac, given by Mrs. Dares, Miss Parish, Mrs. Paterson, Mrs. West and Mrs. Forbes. The debate, "Should Football be Abolished from Our Schools and Colleges," was participated in by Edward H.

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## IN POLICE COURT

### Man And Woman Charged With Complicity

### JAIL ESCAPE OF JOHN ROGERS OF THIS CITY

In Dover police court on Friday morning, the cases of the two prisoners charged with assisting John Rogers of this city to escape from Strafford county jail were heard. Each was held in \$1,000 bail.

Judge Frost presided and the court room was packed to its capacity with spectators who were eager to witness the proceedings in the case.

Elmo Grenier was charged with concealing and hiding John Rogers, an escaped prisoner from the jail on Jan. 21. County Solicitor Hall appeared for the State and Col. W. W. Scott for the respondent.

A plea of not guilty had been entered at the arraignment on Monday last.

Rosie Grenier was charged with aiding John Rogers to escape from the county jail by furnishing him with a saw on Jan. 17. County Solicitor Hall appeared for the state and Col. W. W. Scott appeared for the defendant. A plea of not guilty had been entered on Monday.

Lawyer Scott stated that after consulting with his clients he had decided to waive examination at this time.

The court then ordered each of the respondents to furnish bail in the sum of \$1000 for their appearance at the February term of the superior court. In default of bail each of the respondents were remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

The following witnesses were ordered to furnish a personal bond of \$50 for their appearance at the same time and place to tell what they know relating to the case: Olive Tatro, George H. Frye John Croker, Patrick Murphy, William F. Stiles, George Smart, Sarah Murphy, Edward S. Young, J. Wallace Spinney, Fells Gardner and Thomas W. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Joseph E. Badger of New Broad street is the guest of Mrs. F. S. Lyman of Augusta, Me.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. John Falvey of Noble's Island, who have been ill with scarlet fever are much improved.

Mrs. Harold L. Barry and young daughter Florence, of Lynn, are sojourning with friends in this city for two weeks.

Miss Gertrude Lyons of Boston, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dolan of Wibird street, returned home today.

Mrs. J. W. Morrison of Tilton, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Samuel R. Gardner, returned home today.

David Daley of Daniel street, the well known stone cutter, left for Northfield, Vt., today (Saturday) where he has taken a position with a granite firm.

Gorgee F. Parker, A. T. Parker, F. E. Leavitt, H. C. Hopkins, Joseph Pettigrew, Fred L. Pickering and Dr. F. S. Towle, of Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, attended the funeral of Charles A. Card at New Castle on Friday.

### SLIGHTLY INJURED AT RYE CENTER

Ablion Baker, who resides at Stratton, suffered a slight bruise of the right shoulder on Friday afternoon by being thrown while trying to board a moving electric car at Rye Center. He was attended by Dr. Berry but his injuries were so slight as to hardly require the services of a physician.

### HAD HIM, ALL RIGHT.

An Atchison woman advertised for a cook, saying in the advertisement that "a man was employed to do the heavy work." "But we haven't any man," protested her husband. "That's you," responded his wife.

### EXPECT CROSSES.

The British naval officers who helped entertain the French fleet recently at Portsmouth expected to receive crosses from the French government, but they received only souvenir paper knives.

### HIGHWAYMEN AWHEEL.

Two highwaymen, mounted on bicycles, have been sandbagging citizens with much success lately in San Francisco suburbs. They ride up noiselessly, do their work swiftly and escape easily.

### THE GOAT OF EDUCATION.

A new educational table of weights and measures: One high school makes two goals; four goals make one college; two colleges make one university.

### IRVING CIGARS.

At a bazaar at West Ham, London, cigars presented by the late Sir Henry Irving, with signature attached, were sold at \$10.50 each.

"I have been somewhat constipated, but Doan's Regulets gave just the results desired. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—George B. Krause, 206 Walnut Ave., Altoona, Pa.

## MASONIC MEETING

### OF MUCH INTEREST HELD LAST EVENING

### INSTALLATION OCCURS ON TUESDAY, JAN. 30

The Middle Street Baptist Church Regular services, to which the public is invited, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., musical selections by the Young Ladies' Quartet. The congregation will join in the singing of the hymns. Sermons by the pastor, Rev. George W. Gile. Morning subject: "A Resolution Which Transformed a Life." Evening: "Why Was Jesus Baptized?" Sunday school in the chapel at 12 m. Gentleman ushers are always at the door to welcome strangers and friends and conduct them to seats. "The Sabbath was made for worship and its appeals are to the nobles; aspirations of men."

Court Street Christian Church Morning worship with preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m., subject "Home Missions in Our Cities." Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Church The following music will be rendered at St. John's Church on Sunday: Prelude.

Venite, J. Faure Te Deum Laudemus in F.

Jubilate Deo, F. Kotschmar

Hymn, Albert W. Berg

Kyrie Eleison, Le Jeune Gloria Tibi, J. S. B. Hodges

Hymn, Postlude.

Rev. Dr. Waldron will preach.

Pearl Street Free Baptist Church The morning service will be of the usual order, 10:30 a. m., sermon by the pastor, Rev. V. E. Bradgdon, subject: "The True Starting Point"; 12 m., Sabbath Bible school. The evening service will begin at 7:30 o'clock sharp, with a praise service of song followed by devotionals. The pastor will then give a lecture, subject: "Children's Home." Everybody is invited to attend any, or all of the services. Seats are free.

Christ Church Holy Eucharist, 10:30 A. M.

Pro: "Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven." Haydn

Introit Psalm 23, Gregorian

Kyrie, Agutter

Credo, Woodward

Offertory, "The Lord is Loving Unto Every Man," Dr. Garrett

Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnes Del.

Woodward

Gloria in Excelsis, Plainsong

Pro: "Oh, What the Joy and the Glory Must Be." Plainsong

Evensong, 7:30 P. M.

Pro: "Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven." Haydn

Versicles and Responses, Tallis

Psalter for the Day, Gregorian

Magnificat, K. Hall

Nunc Dimittis, K. Hall

Hymn, "The Day is Past and Over," J. B. Dykes

Offertory, "The Lord is Loving Unto Every Man," Dr. Garrett

Pro: "Oh, What the Joy and the Glory Must Be," Plainsong

Unitarian Church

The following music will be rendered at the Unitarian Church on Sunday:

Anthem, "Oh, Be Joyful," Buck

Anthem, "There is a Land of Pure Delight," Shelley

Anthem, "Oh, for a Closer Walk with God," Schnecker

Miss Mary Garland will sing alto in place of Mrs. Priest, who is ill.

Advent Church

At the Advent Church Sunday Rev. C. O. Farnham, pastor, will preach at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

In the afternoon the pastor will repeat, by request, an address delivered in Boston at the Mid-Winter Prophetic Convention of Adventists, Jan. 17, the theme being: "Will Christ Return to Earth in a Time of World-Wide Spiritual Awakening?"

The evening sermon will be "Two Ways and Two Destinies." All are welcome.

WEDDING BELLS DUE IN WATERVILLE

City Clerk William H. Moran received a communication from Waterville, Me., this (Saturday) morning, requesting a copy of the marriage laws of the state and the price of a marriage license.

Portsmouth is connected with nearly every prominent man the infant republic knew, apparently. Washington, Franklin, Jones, Lafayette, and Webster are names that come to the mind at once.

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s St., Manchester N. H., says:

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## THE CAUCASUS REVOLT

"Land of the Golden Fleece"  
Rent Apart by Misrule

## PEOPLE ARE WARFARING

Virtually No Native Born Russians in  
the Country—Opposed to Russia's  
Method of Government—Ituzians  
Claim Armenia Had a Part in De-  
struction of Oil Wells.

Perhaps the strangest feature of

the Caucasus is the fact that with

the exception of the two army corps

by means of which alone the Czar is

able to maintain a semblance of sov-

ereignty and the civil government

officials, there are virtually no native

born Russians in the country. The

population of some five millions

is the most polyglot and polydov to

be found anywhere in the world.

There are scores and scores of

nationalities, including hundreds of tribes

and a considerable number of creeds.

Add to this the fact that the Caucasi-

ans as a whole are prone to bloodshed,

opposed to the methods of govern-

ment which Russia has for nearly

a hundred years been endeavoring to

force upon them and imbued with

the strongest kind of racial preju-

dice and fanaticism, and it becomes

possible to form some kind of a no-

tion of the elements of disorder in

that particular part of the Czar's

empire, says New York Tribune.

It was Catherine the Great who

first initiated the acquisition of the

Caucasus, partly by means of inva-

sion and partly, too, through per-

suading chiefs and princes to accept

Moscovite suzerainty under the

promise never kept of being per-

mitted to retain their sovereignty and autonomy.

Then, too, a consider-

able portion of the Caucasus was

obtained by conquest from Persia,

while another big slice of territory

was acquired by similar means from

Turkey. Speaking broadly, the popula-

tion of the Caucasus was and re-

mains divided into Moslems, who

are, for the most part, the dwellers

of the mountain regions, and the

Christians, who were and are almost

exclusively Armenians. And in the

olden days the hardy Mahometan

mountaineers would prey upon the

Christian lowlanders. And Russia,

finding it difficult—nay, almost im-

possible—to subdue the highlanders,

induced by various pledges of favor

and protection the Armenians of the

plains to assist her in her task. She

appealed to the analogy of the Or-

thodox and Armenian churches, and

thus keeping before the Armenians the

antagonism which must necessarily

exist between the Crescent and the

Cross, and by holding out hopes to

them of the restoration of the an-

cient Kingdom of Armenia under the

suzerainty of the Czar, secured such

valuable co-operation that the moun-

tain tribes were at length reduced to

a more or less nominal subjection.

Subsequently the championship by

Russia of the cause of the Armenians

in Turkey, for the purpose of

promoting her designs upon Con-

stantinople, led to an extensive emi-

gration of Armenians from the Otto-

man Empire, and the war between

Russia and Turkey of 1877 had the

effect of still further adding a por-

tion of the Caucasus, populated al-

most exclusively by Armenians, to

the dominions of the Czar. It was

not long, however, before the Musco-

voite authorities discovered that the

Armenians declined to become as

assimilated. They not only insisted on

remaining Armenians and loyal to

their Church, but they likewise be-

gan to agitate with a view of secur-

ing from Russia the fulfillment of her

promise to restore the ancient king-

dom of Armenia with an autonomous

government under the suzerainty of

the Czar. Then too, the Armenians

have the commercial spirit as strong-

ly developed as the Jews, and the

Russian government began to find in

the Armenians the same objections

of an economic character which they

are forever invoking as a pretext for

their oppression of the Hebrew race.

That is to say, they insist that the

Armenians, like the Jews, have a

tendency to mono, dize all the wealth

and prosperity, and beggar their fel-

low citizens of different race and

creed, wherever they may happen to

settle. The Moslems of the Caucasus

did not need much encouragement to

assist their Armenian fellow citizens.

They have neither forgotten nor for-

given the fact that it was through

the assistance given by the Arme-

nians to the Russians that they had

lost their independence; that their

national hero, Shamil, had been ta-

ken prisoner and their mountain

fastnesses overthrown and captured by

the Muscovite Invader. They were

not to be denied the opportunity of

winning their vengeance on those

who had treated them as their ba-

ttalier, and the result is that neither

is safe. When the destruc-

tion of property became so

extensive that the entire oil indus-

try has been put out of business for

more than a year to come, 2,000 out

of a total of 3,000 wells being ruined,

the government having alarmingly

and rapidly troops on shore into the

Caucasus for the purpose of re-

storing oil fields, and the poor man

left the room in haste. When his turn

came he re-entered the room. "Now,

then," said the doctor, "that's better."

"What can I do for you?"

"I called to collect your subser-

ption for the benevolent society."—The

Tatler.

## LIFE IN LONDON.

Some of the Things Which the Ameri-  
can Visitor Seen Learns.

Americans sojourning in London are often puzzled in their first few hours there to account for the frequent blowing of mouth whistles in their vicinity, resembling the blasts of sound with which the New York postmen accompanies the delivery of mail. A man who arrived in the British metropolis one night this summer, greatly fatigued by his journey, retired early at his lodgings, but was kept awake until midnight by the emanations of and continuous blowing of whistles, which suggested to his drowsy brain that letter carriers were calling every few minutes at the adjoining houses.

At breakfast the next morning he remarked that he had often heard of London's frequent mail difficulties but had never supposed there were so many of them as he had heard. The old Hebrew answered.

"Having faith and confidence in a person one can be made to do almost anything, the limitations of possibility being unknown. A person can unconsciously take the symptoms of any disease. Now take, for instance, the Christian Scientist. His patients believe in him and that they are going to be cured, and they are. Then there is the quack doctor who tells you through the advertising columns that for \$5 he will effect permanent cure for you. All you have to do is to go in a certain room in your home at a certain hour and he cures you by long distance."

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"I believe, too, that the population of

the earth will be regulated by auto-sug-

gestion."

## SELF-HYPNOSIS NOT UNCOMMON.

Perjury May Thus Be Committed  
Says an Expert.

"There are thousands of persons suffering from the auto-suggestion, or self-hypnotism, as it is commonly known, self-hypnotic," said Dr. Quackenbos to a New York Mail reporter. "Ad" writers and window dressers are responsible in a measure for the prevalence of the disease. A case of self-hypnotism is curable, says Dr. Quackenbos, if not chronic, and the only way to treat it is by putting the patient to sleep and talking to the soul.

"I have treated hundreds of cases of auto-suggestion, and nearly every instance have secured a permanent cure. You see some persons get into their heads that they have been injured in a railroad accident and will go to court and unintentionally perjure themselves."

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For Portland—9.55, 10.45 a. m., 2.55, 5.22, 8.45, 11.35 p. m. Sunday 10.05, 10.45 a. m., 8.45, 11.35 p. m.  
For Wells Beach—9.55 a. m., 2.55, 5.22 p. m. Sunday 10.05 a. m.  
For Old Orchard and Portland—9.55 a. m., 2.55, 5.22 p. m. Sunday 10.05 a. m.  
For North Conway—9.55 a. m., 2.55 p. m.  
For Somersworth—4.50, 9.45, 9.55 a. m., 2.40, 2.55, 5.22, 5.30 p. m.  
For Rockport—9.45, 9.55 a. m., 2.55, 5.22 p. m. Sunday 10.05 a. m.  
For Dover—4.50, 9.45, 12.15 a. m., 2.50, 5.22, 8.47 p. m. Sunday, 10.05, 10.45 a. m., 8.47 p. m.  
For North Hampton and Hampton—7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 5.00 p. m. Sunday 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.  
For Greenland—7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 5.00 p. m. Sunday 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

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Leave Portland—1.30, 9.00 a. m., 12.45, 6.00 p. m. Sunday 1.30 a. m., 12.45, 5.40 p. m.  
Leave Old Orchard—9.09 a. m., 12.45, 3.54, 4.32 p. m. Sunday 4.06 p. m.  
Leave North Conway—7.38 a. m., 4.07 p. m.  
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Leave Somersworth—6.35, 7.23, 10.00 a. m., 4.05, 6.24 p. m.  
Leave Dover—6.50, 10.25 a. m., 1.49, 4.30, 6.30, 9.20 p. m. Sunday 7.38 a. m., 9.20 p. m.  
Leave Hampton—9.22, 11.50 a. m., 2.24, 4.59, 6.16 p. m. Sunday 6.10, 10.06 a. m., 7.59 p. m.  
Leave North Hampton—9.28, 11.55 a. m., 2.30, 5.05, 6.21 p. m. Sunday, 6.15, 10.12 a. m., 8.05 p. m.  
Leave Greenland—9.35 a. m., 12.01, 2.36, 5.11, 6.27 p. m. Sunday, 6.20, 10.18 a. m., 8.00 p. m.

## SOUTHERN DIVISION.

**Portsmouth Branch.**  
Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:  
Portsmouth—8.30 a. m., 12.40, 5.25 p. m.  
Greenland Village—8.39 a. m., 12.48, 5.22 p. m.  
Rockingham Junction—9.05 a. m., 1.02, 5.58 p. m.  
Epping—9.20 a. m., 1.16, 6.14 p. m.  
Raymond—9.30 a. m., 1.27, 4.25 p. m.  
Returning leaves  
Concord—7.45, 10.25 a. m., 3.30 p. m.  
Manchester—8.32, 11.10 a. m., 4.20 p. m.  
Raymond—9.08, 11.48 a. m., 5.02 p. m.  
Epping—9.20 a. m., 12.00 p. m., 5.15 p. m.  
Rockingham Junction—9.47 a. m., 12.16, 5.55 p. m.  
Greenland Village—10.01 a. m., 12.28, 6.08 p. m.

Trains connect at Rockingham Junction for Exeter, Haverhill, Lawrence and Boston. Trains connect at Manchester and Concord for Plymouth, Woodsville, Lancaster, St. Johnsbury, Newport, Vt., Montreal and the west.

\*Via Dover and Western Division. Information Given Through Tickets Sold and Baggage Checked to All Points at the Station.

J. E. SHAW, Ticket Agent.  
D. J. FLANDERS & P. T. A.

## Portsmouth Electric Railway.

Time-Table in Effect Daily, Commencing Sept. 11, 1906.

### Main Line.

Leave Market Square for Rye Beach and Little Boar's Head at 7.45 a. m., and hourly until 10.05 p. m. For Cable Road only at 4.50, 5.30 a. m., 6.50 a. m., and 10.05 p. m. For Little Boar's Head only at 8.05 p. m. and 9.05 p. m. The 10.05 a. m., 1.05 p. m., 4.05, 5.05, 7.05, 8.05 and 9.05 p. m. cars make close connection for North Hampton. On Theatre Nights 10.05 p. m. car waits until close of performance.

Returning—Leave Junction with E. H. & A. St. Ry. at 8.05 a. m. and hourly until 8.05 p. m. Leave Cable Road 4.50, 5.30 a. m., 7.30 a. m. and 10.40 p. m. Leave Little Boar's Head 9.10 p. m. and 10.10 p. m. Leave Sagamore Hill, Sundays only, for Market Sq. at 10.23 a. m.

### Plains Loop.

Up Middle Street and up Islington street—Leave Market Square at 6.35 a. m., 7.05 a. m., and half hourly until 10.05 p. m., and at 10.35 and 11.05 p. m. Up Middle street only at 10.35 p. m. Sundays.

Last cars each night run to car barn only.

Running time to Plains, 13 minutes.

**Christian Shore Loop.**

Up Islington Street and Down Market Street—Leave Market Square at 6.35 a. m., 7.05 a. m. and half hourly until 10.05 p. m., and at 10.35 and 11.05 p. m.

Running time from Market Square to B. & M. Station is, up Islington street, 16 minutes; and down Market street, 4 minutes.

Last cars at night run to car barn only.

**North Hampton Line—Week Days.**

Leave North Hampton Station for Little Boar's Head, Rye Beach and Cable Road at 7.30 a. m., 8.30, 9.30, x11.00, x11.55 a. m., 2.20 p. m., x5.05 and 6.25 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.30 a. m.

For Portsmouth, via Rosemary and Eliot—7.30, 9.30 a. m. and every two hours until 9.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.30 a. m.

**Leave York Beach:**

For Dover and Salmon Falls Bridge, South Berwick—7.30, 9.30 a. m. and every two hours until 9.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 9.30 a. m.

**Leave Salmon Falls Bridge, South Berwick:**

For Dover and Portsmouth—6.00 a. m. and hourly to 10.00 p. m. Sun days—First trip at 8.00 a. m.

For York—8.00 a. m. and every two hours until 10.00 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.00 a. m.

**Leave Dover:**

For York Beach—8.05 a. m. and every two hours until 10.05 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.05 a. m.

**Leave Plains:**

For Portsmouth—6.00 a. m. and half hourly until 10.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 7.30 a. m.

**Leave Rosemary Cottage:**

For Portsmouth and Kittery—6.00, 6.30, 7.30 a. m. and hourly until 10.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.30 a. m.

For Kittery and Eliot—7.30, 9.30 a. m. and every two hours until 9.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 9.30 a. m.

**Leave Sea Point:**

For Portsmouth—6.00 a. m. and half hourly until 10.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 7.30 a. m.

**Leave Rosemary Cottage:**

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Close connections can be made between Dover and York Beach via Eliot, Kittery and Eliot Point.

## TIME TABLE

Portsmouth, Dover & York St. Ry.

In Effect Sept. 18, 1905.

Ferry leaves Portsmouth, connecting with cars:

For Eliot, Dover and South Berwick—6.55 a. m. and hourly until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 7.55 a. m.

For Kittery and Kittery Point—6.25 a. m. and half hourly until 10.25 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 7.25 a. m.

For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach, via P. K. & Y. Div.—6.55 a. m. and every two hours until 4.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.55 a. m.

For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach, via Eliot and Rosemary—7.55 a. m. and every two hours until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 7.55 a. m.

Cars leave Dover:

For York Beach—8.05 a. m. and every two hours until 10.05 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.05 a. m.

For York—8.00 a. m. and every two hours until 10.00 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.00 a. m.

Leave Salmon Falls Bridge, South Berwick—6.30 a. m. and hourly until 10.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.30 a. m.

For Dover and Salmon Falls Bridge, South Berwick—7.30, 9.30 a. m. and every two hours until 9.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 9.30 a. m.

For Portsmouth, via P. K. & Y. Div.—5.45, 6.30, 8.30 a. m. and every two hours until 10.05 p. m., and at 10.35 and 11.05 p. m.

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W. G. MELOON, Gen. Mgr.  
Tel. Call—41-2, Portsmouth.

Sundays.

Leave North Hampton Station for Little Boar's Head only 9.00 a. m. and hourly until 10.00 p. m.

Returning—Leave Little Boar's Head at 8.45 a. m. and hourly until 9.45 p. m.

All trips on Sundays connect with Main Line cars at Little Boar's Head.

\*Omitted Sundays.

\*Omitted Sundays and Holidays.

\*Make close connections for Port month.

\*\*Saturdays only.

D. J. FLANDERS,  
Gen'l Pass'r and Ticket Agent  
WINSLOW T. PERKINS,  
Superintendent.

## U. S. Navy Yard Ferry

### TIME TABLE.

October 1 Until March 31.  
Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 9.40, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m., 1.35, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 4.35, 5.00, 5.50, 7.45 p. m. Sundays, 10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 12.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.30, 8.50, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 1.45, 2.30, 3.30, 4.23, 4.45, 5.30, 6.00, 10.00 p. m. Sundays, 10.07 a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays, 10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00 p. m.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC  
JANUARY 27.SIX KIDS ..... 7 W. MOON SETS. 10 P. M.  
SUN SETS. 4:51 FULL MOON. (01:00 A. M.)  
LENTH OF DAY 10:45First Quarter, Feb. 1st, Th. 31st, morning, E.  
Full Moon, Feb. 9th, 2nd, 3rd, morning, W.  
Last Quarter, Feb. 16th, 17th, 18th, evening, E.  
New Moon, Feb. 23d, 24th, 25th, morning, E.

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Is General Ticket And Passenger Agent

## OF THE EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY IN BOSTON

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## IS FREE AT LAST

Local Mandolin Club Man Secures \$2,000 Bail At Alfred

Harry H. Kinney, the Boston musician and former Portsmouth mandolin club organizer, who was taken to Alfred Thursday by Officer Goodwin, not being able to give bail for his appearance at the May term of the supreme court, after being convicted in the lower court on a charge of assault with intent to kill Charles O. Gould returned to Biddeford Friday in the custody of Jailer Rankins of Alfred jail, and was taken before Wm. T. Emmons, bail commissioner at Saco city hall and released on bonds.

The amount is \$2,000 and the bondsmen are Arthur S. Hamilton and Frank Cote, both of Biddeford. These gentlemen, who are strangers to the respondent or his relatives, have been secured for the amount they have gone by H. D. Rogers, father-in-law of Kinney, who arrived in Biddeford Thursday evening, accompanied by his son.

The money which secures the Biddeford man was secured through the firm of the Kidder, Peabody Company of Boston, who deposited with the Suffolk bank of Boston the necessary amount, and this in turn was placed to the credit of the Biddeford National bank, with whom the Suffolk bank does business. So that if Kinney should fail to appear at the May term of court, and his bonds are ordered defaulted, Messrs. Hamilton and Cote will look to the Biddeford bank to back them up if they are compelled to pay out any money.

When Kinney was told that he was free to go where he pleased after recognizing he appeared to be a greatly relieved man. To a reporter he said he had fallen away almost to a skeleton. The police station at Biddeford is far from being suitable for a person any length of time. It is the jail only, he finds fault with, as he was never used better by anybody than by the Biddeford police. They did everything they could to make him comfortable under the circumstances.

The difference between the police station and Alfred jail, he said, was like black and white. The accommodations there, he said, were much better and he enjoyed his first good night's sleep.

Kinney returned to Boston Friday with his father-in-law and his brother-in-law. He would not say what his plans were for the future.

The young man would have been released earlier, but for a letter sent to his father-in-law being miscarried.

John W. Kelley, Assignee of

M. W. Goodman &amp; Co.

SATURDAY, JAN. 27, 1866.

## CITY BRIEFS

Have you visited the paper plant lately?

One month of the new year is nearly gone.

The fight to save Tucker is a strenuous one.

There is a lay off of cutters at the Gale Shoe Company.

City council meetings seldom commence on schedule time.

Have your shoes repaired by John Mott, 34 Congress street.

The Parochial School has changed the dismissal hours a little.

The tramps have given Portsmouth very few visits this winter.

The new board of health has lately received several complaints.

The new meeting hour of the city council works like a charm.

Company B is to have some re-pairs made on the rifle range.

Councilman Cullen now has all the city clocks on his hands to investigate.

Those holes in the sidewalk on Deer street near the depot ought to be filled up.

The Knights of Columbus will hold a ladies' night and whist party next Wednesday evening.

An expert dog catcher is after the canines at Newburyport. A trip here would pay him.

See "A Celebrated Case" presented by the Colonial Stock Company at Music Hall on Monday evening.

The first part minstrel show lately given by the Richmond Club at York will be put on later in this city.

The Portsmouth public library is apparently prospering, though but few donations of books were made last year.

If a boy at York can gather 280 brown-tail moth nests in an hour, what ought the city government to pay for their collection?

Tickets are now on sale at Music Hall box office for Monday evening's performance of the Colonial Stock Company, entitled "A Celebrated Case."

Maine has sixteen counties. There are 168 prisoners at the state prison, and of these ten came from York county. This shows that York county has less than her proportionate share of "the men behind."

Newburyport reports brown-tail moths out but a strictly sober man from Maine will go Newburyport one better. The wisdom of Maine snakes is a thing of the past. Twelve moths, he says, came out during the recent warm spell and were found frozen at Fernald's gravel pit, east of Butler's siding, Kittery.

I offer for sale the stock of

**Goods and Fixtures**

in the store

No. 31 Market Street,  
Portsmouth, N. H.

The Stock comprises dry goods, fancy goods usually kept in dry goods stores, ladies' suits, skirts and hats; men's and boys' clothing, hats, caps, furnishing goods, trunks, bags, umbrellas,

Mr. Gustave Peyer and Mr. H. C. Hopkins have made an inventory of this stock, and the fixtures, and they have valued it at \$4,021.30. The valuation placed upon this stock by these two gentlemen represents the present value and not the cost value.

This inventory or appraisal may be seen at any time at my office by prospective purchasers.

Prospective purchasers may examine the stock at any time by applying at my office and asking for Mr. Harding.

I will receive percentage bids on the inventory value at my office, No. 31 Pleasant Street, Portsmouth, N. H., on or before Friday, February 2nd, at twelve o'clock. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

If the purchaser of the stock desires a lease of the building, he must make his own arrangements with the owners' agents.

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## The Quality Piano

There is one piano in the making of which quality, and quality alone, is always the sole consideration. Since the day their factory was founded over 82 years ago, the makers of

## THE CHICKERING

have spared no effort and overlooked no opportunity to incorporate in this instrument every improvement that years of experience and constant study could suggest. And today it stands alone the embodiment of piano perfection.

## H. P. Montgomery,

Established 1865.

6 Pleasant St. Portsmouth

The letter was directed to Waverly, Mass., and instead was sent to Westerly, R. I.

Mr. Rogers did not hear about his son-in-law being held for the grand jury until Thursday, and he immediately made arrangements to have the necessary amount sent on to Biddeford.

## FIERCE DOG FIGHT

Howls of Battling Canines Wake Town This Morning

A fierce dog fight, names of contestants not known, took place in the Market square arena at about 7:30 o'clock this morning.

One of the canines had a grip like a vise on the other, whose howls disturbed many of those who usually sleep until nine a. m.

They were finally separated by their owners.

## BY MAYOR MARVIN

Board of Examiners of Plumbers Appointed Today

Mayor Marvin this (Saturday) forenoon, in accordance with the statutes, appointed a board of examiners of plumbers as follows:

For one year, Dr. A. J. Nute; For two years, Dr. Herbert L. Taylor;

For three years, John A. Cornelius.

## PROBABLY NOT FROM THIS CITY

Three who had fallen victims to strong drink, filled the docket in police court this morning. The first called was John Goodwin. He pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk on Main street last night.

Marshal Andrews informed the court that he had been before the court once before several years ago. Goodwin said he was an old soldier; that his home was in Portsmouth; came here yesterday from East Waterbury, Me., where he had been working in the woods for the past two weeks; previous to working there had worked some around the great lakes.

He said he came here to see James Locke about some work. He also said that it was over five years ago that he was before the court here. The court sentenced him to thirty days in the house of correction at Dover, mittimus to issue on call of the marshal.—Somersworth correspondent, Dover Democrat.

Several inquiries by a Herald reporter failed to find any information about such a man and it is a question who this man is and just where he does belong.

## OBITUARY

## Margaret A. Spinney

The death occurred at the home of her sister, Mrs. Colby, on South Street, on Friday of Mrs. Margaret A. Spinney, aged sixty-eight years.

## MOORE VOTES COMING IN

Miss Maud Moore of this city, who entered in the Manchester Union voting contest as a teacher in West Derry, headed the list on Friday. Today (Saturday) she had a total of nearly 3,500 votes.

## ATTENTION AUTOISTS

The Premier Quality car, air cooled, 16 to 24 H. P.: prices \$1250 to \$2250. Demonstration by appointment.

## E. C. MORRILL,

Badger's Island,

Kittery, Me.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral services of Mrs. Margaret A. Spinney will be held at her late home in Eliot Monday afternoon at two o'clock.

Any skin itching is a tempter-tester. The more you scratch the worse it itches. Doan's Ointment cures piles, eczema—any skin itching.

At all drug stores.

## THE PORTSMOUTH FLAG

Interesting Article Written On It By

B. R. Frisbee

To the Editor of The Herald:—In answer to the article on the Portsmouth flag, recently published in your columns, I wish to express my views upon the subject as I feel called upon to do so after writing an article in which the Portsmouth flag of the Ranger was mentioned, published in your paper not long ago.

It is said that tradition enters more or less into all history. True it is that much history, both sacred and profane, lacks documentary proof. Sacred history is received as a matter of faith, sweet to the hearts of all believers.

If the writings of Ernest Renan, the great Frenchman, were taken as truth, much of that faith would be shattered. Renan tells us that Christ was but a member of a common family of brothers, that the miracles were but idle tales that grew by the telling.

Ignatius Donnelly and other writers have written exhaustively to show that Shakespeare never wrote the plays that bear his name. Other writers have written claiming that the story of Pocahontas saving the life of John Smith was not true. Still other writers tell us that the story of William Tell shooting the apple from his son's head is a myth.

When men write claiming that stories of events taking place several centuries ago are not true, it is not surprising that persons will deny the truth of the story of the Portsmouth flag.

The writer of the letter mentioned, speaking of the flag of the Ranger, says it is alleged to have been made by the girls of Portsmouth from slices of their best silk gowns. I think the word slices ill chosen or written in derision. I certainly have never heard of a slice of cloth of any kind. The Century says a slice of bacon, beef or apple. Perhaps the writer had been to a public dinner and was thinking of a slice of that kind.

The writer says further that a suitable flag, standard or ensign for the new ship-of-war Ranger, a regular ship's colors, could be constructed in every detail, as it should be, of correct design and proportions and of sufficient size, from the scanty amount of such delicate material as indicated and under the peculiar circumstances described seemed to him extremely doubtful. And for a flag made as represented to have remained, as alleged, with the impatient, persistent and intrepid Paul Jones through all his varied and remarkable career seemed to him possible.

The funeral of William James Carey was held from the Church of the Immaculate Conception this (Saturday) morning at eight o'clock. Requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. William J. Cavanaugh, a combined choir assisting. Interment was in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Undertaker William P. Miskell.

The body was borne by George H. Beesley, Andrew Hurley, Joseph Long, John H. Page, William Alley and John Lambert.

The following beautiful floral tributes were received in honor of the departed man:

Pillow, "Our Willie", from the ram-

ily:

Large pillow from the Morley Button factory employees;

Pinks, Miss Mary McClure;

Pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Buckley;

Pinks, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Emery;

Jack roses, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred F. Howard;

Pinks, John Habir;

Flat bouquet, Miss Bertha Russell;

Pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Walker;

Pinks, Mrs. Samuel R. Gardner;

Flat bouquet, Mrs. Patrick Leahy and family, Salem;

Pinks, Misses Mamie and Kittie Quinn;

Large cross, class of 1902, P. H. S.;

Pinks, Mrs. Mark Anthony;

Crescent and star, fellow employees at navy yard;

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